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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director (Plans)

SUBJECT: Headquarters SAC Operations Order #1009

1. The attached Headquarters SAC Operations Order #1009 is based on provisions of a joint agreement (CHAL 0239) dated 19 July 1958, and the CHALICE EWP Operational Plan dated 20 January 1959.

2. This SAC Operations Order #1009 has been reviewed by the Operations Branch, DPD, and is believed to cover the SAC utilization of Project CHALICE resources as envisioned in the CHALICE EWP Operational Plan.

3. The following amendments to this Operations Order are proposed:

a. Change Appendix 2 to Annex B, para 9b, to read: "Concept of operations after SAC communication is established;"

b. Insert para 9c after 9b(1): "c. Concept of operations prior to the establishment of SAC communications:"

c. Renumber subparagraphs under 9c(1), (2), (3), and (4).

d. Change para 9c to read para 9d.

e. Change para 8b(3) to read: "(3) Depot Command: Command of the Project CHALICE depot at [ ] will remain as designated for peacetime operations. However, the Project Depot Commander will report to [ ] (FOG) and will thenceforth serve as a sub-depot for support of U-2 aircraft.

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4. Request authority to distribute copies of SAC Operations Order, as presently published, to [ ] and the detachments, and to issue necessary instructions to the Detachment Commanders to insure implementation of this plan upon receipt of the Headquarters CHALICE "action" order. Amendments as published by Headquarters SAC will be forwarded as soon as practical.

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The recommendations in paras 3 and 4 are approved:

(Sgt) Richard M. Bissell, Jr. 22 MAY 1959

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